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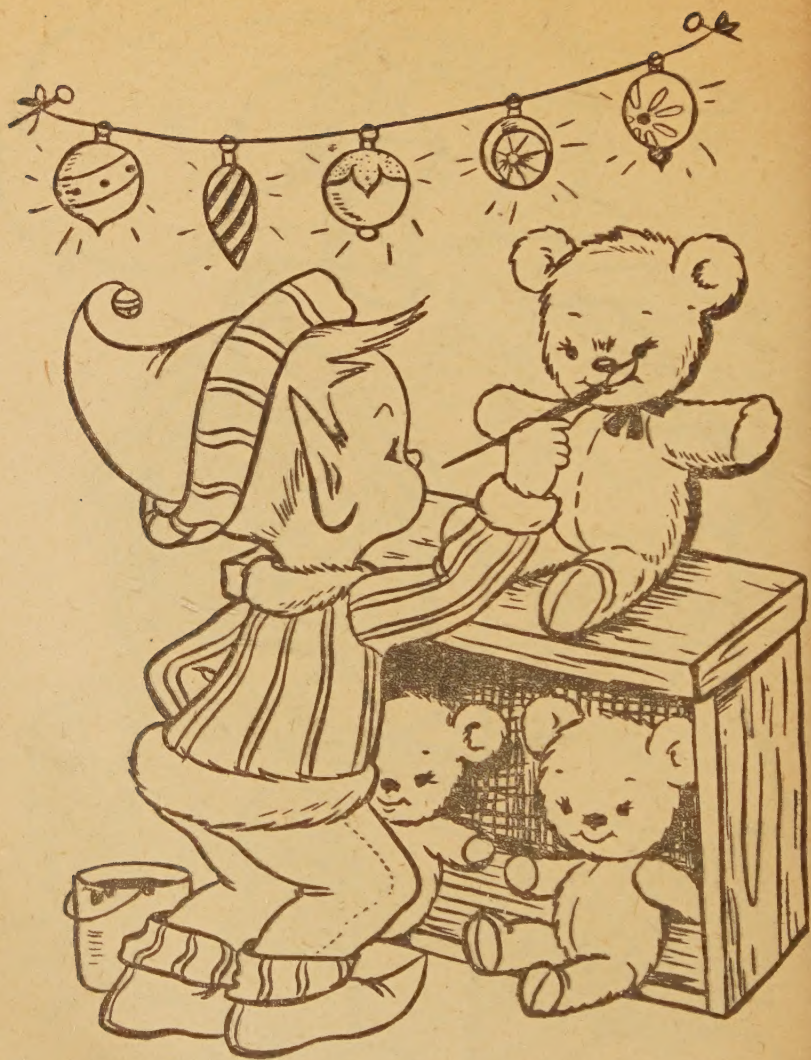
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'Way up at the North Pole is
the home and workshop of Santa
Claus.

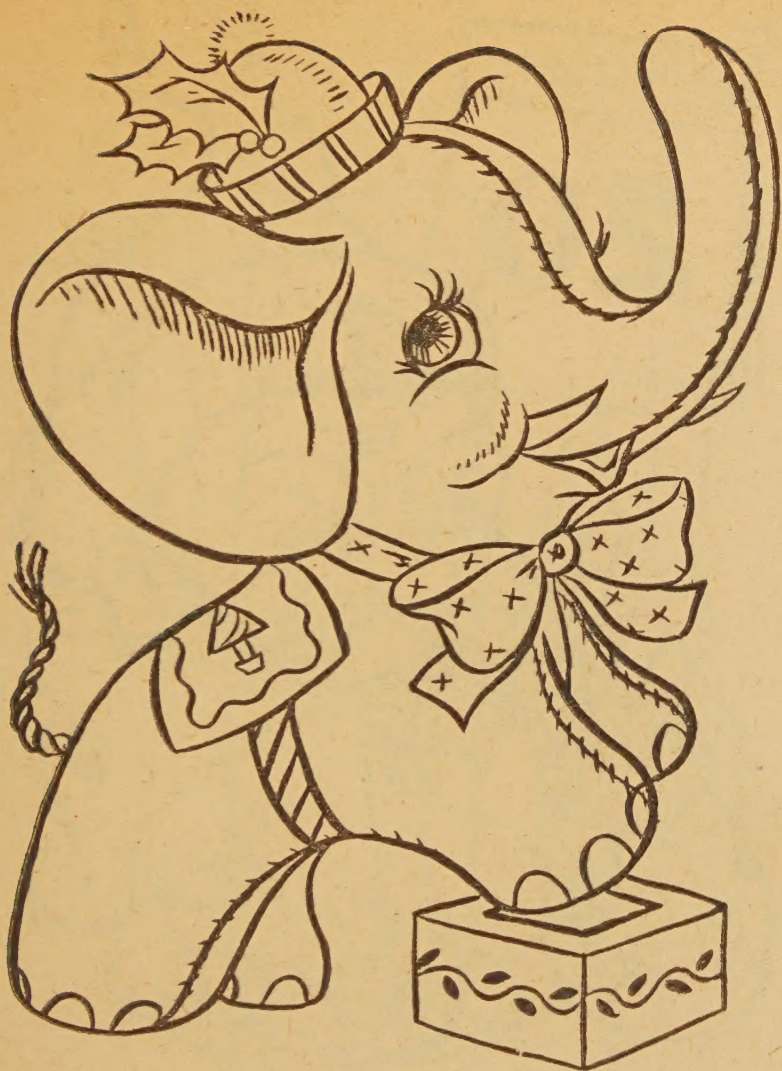




Santa and his Helpers keep busy
all year making toys and Christmas
tree ornaments.



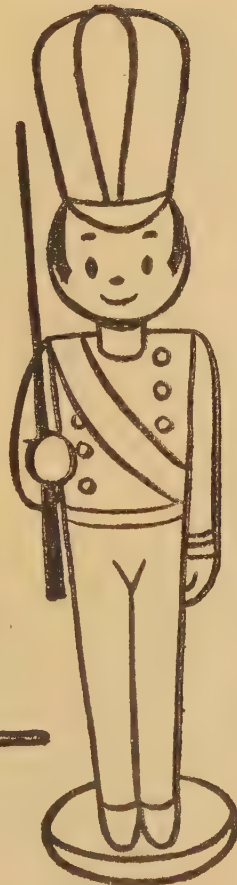
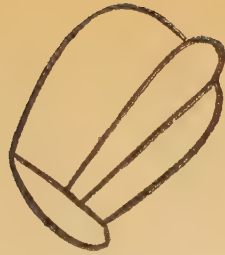




They make tiny wooden houses
and figures, and all kinds of cuddly
stuffed animals.



This year everyone worked very hard. So, when Christmas was still a few days away, all the lists were filled.

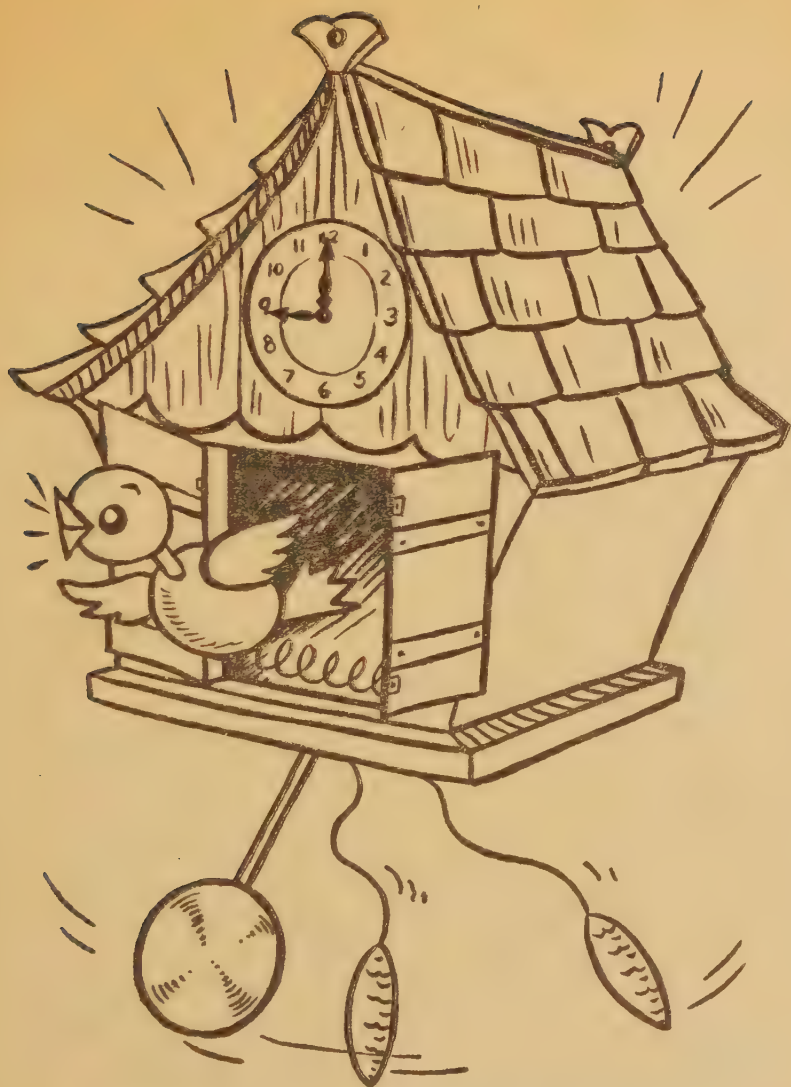






Then on the afternoon before Christmas, Mrs. Claus brought in a big stack of delayed letters from Boys and Girls.



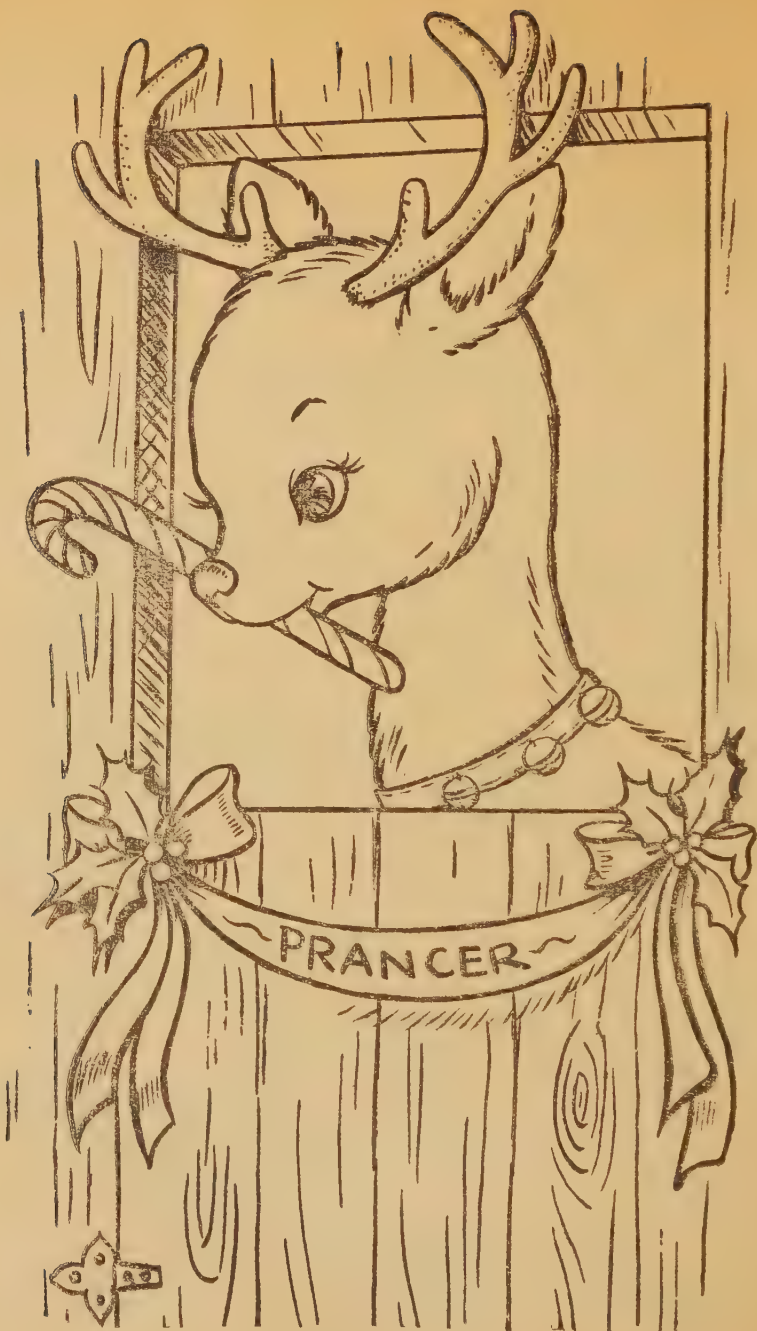


The Helpers rushed to the workshop while Santa wrote the addresses in his big book. By the time he was through, the cuckoo called nine o'clock.



Tippy brought Santa's mittens, for
it was time to start the long trip.





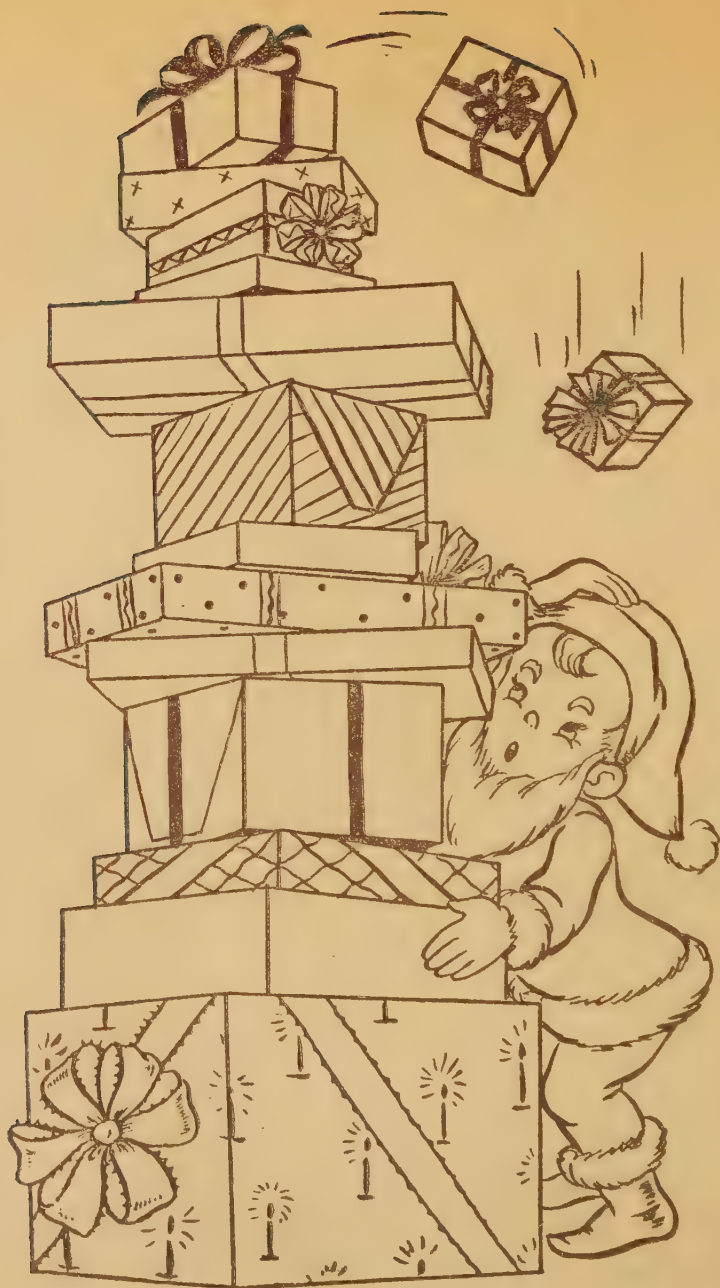


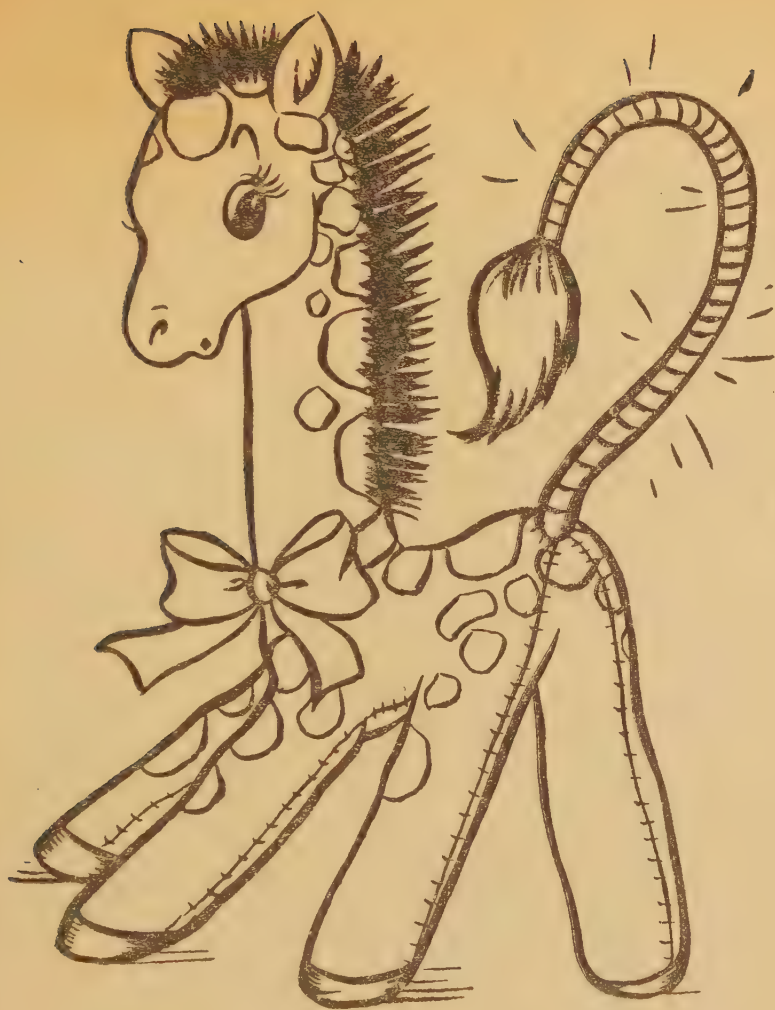
Prancer looked out of his stall and saw Santa go into the workshop, and heard the tinkle of the shop doorbell.





Santa found his Helpers working as fast as they could, but still there were not enough presents to fill the last lists.





The more the Helpers hurried, the more mistakes they made. They knocked things over and put toys together wrong.





The little Helper who tied the fancy bows got tangled up in yards of ribbon.





Santa picked up a toy-filled stocking. He saw a hole in the toe. "We must put these toys into a good stocking," he said.



He began to make the change, but the more he took out of the stocking, the more there was in it -- dolls, drums, and toys of all kinds. Santa shouted in surprise.







The Helpers stopped working to watch. The pile of toys grew higher and higher. The helpers danced for joy. "It's a Magic Stocking!" they cried. "Now we have enough presents for everyone!"



Soon Santa's big sack was packed to the top, and away he went to deliver the gifts all around the world.





Mrs. Claus closed the top of the Magic Stocking. She mended the little hole and then put the wonderful stocking into her chest of special treasures.

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